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Boole & Sons' Shipyards Sold; New Owners to Build New Dock and Will Spend \$200,000

SAN FRANCISCO FIRM MAKES PURCHASE OF OAKLAND PROPERTY

Moore & Scott Iron Works Pays About Half Million for Business; Many More Men to Be Given Employment.

One of the most important and largest commercial deals in Oakland was concluded today when the Moore & Scott Iron Works of San Francisco purchased Boole & Sons' shipyard on the estuary.

The deal, which has been pending for several weeks, was closed by W. E. Duzan, secretary of the Moore & Scott Iron Works Company, with the Boole heirs. The consideration is said to be in the neighborhood of a half million dollars.

It is the intention of the new owners of this plant to spend at least \$200,000 at once in enlarging the capacity of the place, one of the features to be the equipment of a new dock of 5000 tons capacity.

To Employ Many Workmen

The Moore & Scott Iron Works are planning now to do all sorts of ship repairing of whatever magnitude they can secure and in order to carry out their plans will increase the new plant they have purchased from time to time as it is required.

As it is, this means the bringing of at least a hundred more workmen to Oakland, the expenditure of many thousands of dollars in new work, and all of the prestige which comes from vigorous competition in ship repairing.

Big Improvements

Boole & Sons' shipyard has been a feature of Oakland for many years. The plant as it now stands has a dockage capacity of 3000 tons and is well equipped for general ship repairing and building. The new owners however to carry out their plans will be required to install larger tools and to enlarge and complete many of the departments of the yard.

"This is a big thing for us and a big thing for Oakland," said Secretary W. E. Duzan today. "It means that we will endeavor to carry on general ship repairing to whatever extent we are able to secure the contracts. The ship yards we have purchased are very well equipped, but our present plans will require a new dock of at least 5000 tons capacity and a larger one as soon as the contracts should call for it."

Possession March 1

We will take active possession of the new plant on the first of the month and begin our work of enlarging it and general ship repairing at once. The number of new workmen who will be brought to Oakland will vary, of course, with the character of the work, there being at times a hundred extra men required, and there will be fully this number additional to the force now there."

The Boole & Sons shipyard was owned by the heirs of William Boole. Among them is J. E. Davis and wife and Vice President M. Keen and wife of the Mercantile Trust.

WEATHER FORECAST.
Oakland and vicinity—Fair tonight and Friday; light south wind, changing to northeast.
San Francisco and Sacramento Valley—Fair tonight and Friday; light north wind.
San Joaquin Valley—Fair tonight and Friday; light west wind.
Southern California—Fair tonight and Friday; light northeast wind.

LAKE MERRITT IS IDEAL SITE FOR PLAYGROUND

Expert Declares Oakland Has Wonderful Advantages for Children's Park

INVESTMENTS PAY WELL, HE STATES

Outdoor Sports for Young Mean Fewer Criminals, Says Raitt

Charles B. Raitt, representing the Los Angeles Park and Playground Commissioners, is a student, an athlete and a philosopher. He is in Oakland. His missions are manifold. He is acting in an advisory capacity to the Oakland Playground Commissioners. He is arranging with the Regents of the University of California for the formation and maintenance of a regularly defined course in instructing students in the operation of the playgrounds. He is here also, and as he explained, to gain publicity for the work in which he is engaged.

"Stab" Raitt, as he was known on the campus at Stanford, is enthusiastic. When he commences to talk of the wonderful work accomplished by the practical Los Angeles people in the direction of the maintenance of the playgrounds his auditors become wrapped in his work. He is theoretically to the extreme, but he has the quality of combining theories with practical thoughts.

Considerable consideration has been obtained from the officials of both Stanford and Berkeley regarding the maintaining of a regular course for the study of the Park and Playground scheme. The

GRANT PLANNED TO SLAY WIFE, IS THEORY

Shooting of Woman Was Done After Careful Premeditation, Declare Police

SENSATIONAL FACTS BROUGHT TO LIGHT

Immoral Letter and Nude Picture Are Sent to Clerk in City

SAN FRANCISCO, March 25.—That Thomas W. Grant, who is being held in detainee at the city prison as the result of his attempt to slay his wife, committed the act after careful premeditation is now the theory of the local police.

Detective A. J. Gaughran, who is handling the case, has discovered startling evidence which points to a theory that Grant was insanely jealous of his wife, and was acquainted with one of her alleged paramours. It was from this alleged lover that Detective Gaughran found the evidence which points without the slightest doubt to the fact that Grant believed his wife false to him, and had accused Louis F. Brown, a grocer's clerk of 2243 Turk street, employed at the store of Sladmark, at 601 Baker street, of having immoral relations with his spouse.

The most important evidence is a picture of a nude woman which was sent about a year ago to Brown by Grant. With the picture was sent a typewritten letter signed "Nemesis."

The letter itself is the most obscene piece of literature ever handled by the police. It describes the wife of the prisoner as being a very immoral woman and accuses the recipient of the letter, Brown, of having held immoral relations with the injured woman.

Also there was attached to the letter two photographs of a nude woman, and from this alone, the police are certain that a double tragedy was only narrowly averted.

In his testimony, which was entirely uncontradicted, according to the report obtained from neighbors of the Grant couple, and from her companions at the Fremont school, where she was a teacher, it is thought the husband contemplated the murder of both his life and Brown. Grant is still uncharged at the city prison, the police preferring to wait until the extent of the wife's injuries are ascertained without a chance of doubt. From Long's sanatorium, where Mrs. Grant is being treated for the two gunshot wounds in her hip and groin, the report comes that she is resting easily, and has every chance of recovery.

If Mrs. Grant, when able to leave her sick bed, refuses to swear to a complaint against her husband, Detective Gaughran stated this morning that he would put of his own initiative the man of insanity, and have him brought before the insanity commission to be examined.

GRAND AUCTION
At 608 Twenty-eighth street near Grove, on Friday, March 26, at 10 A. M. we are instructed by telegram from South Africa to sell the elegant furniture, including a large safe, a very fine Parker home, comprising in part grand parlor upholstery, two sofas, two chairs, elegant walnut mantel, very massive solid oak dining table (cost \$180), six oak dining chairs and two carvers with leather seats and seats, ivory and glass bedroom furniture, birdseye maple dresser and chiffonier, bed mattresses, rug, bed linen, etc., etc., also a very antique Egyptian trunk and desk brought in solid mahogany wood and brought from Africa in 1851, also about 200 yards of fine quality cloth, body Brussels carpets and tape in fine condition, also one rubber tree baggy (cost \$250).
MEYER & MEYER, Auctioneers.

Real Estate Auction Sale
and also diamonds and jewelry, belonging to an estate. Sale at auction commencing 1007 Clay street Oakland, on Saturday, March 27, at 1 P. M. Commencing. One lot on the west side of Broadway, between Broadway and Third, eighth street, size 50x150 feet, 3 lots on Garrison street, corner of Market street, 2-story house, 10 rooms, known as No. 1251 21st avenue, corner of East Fifteenth street, fine location, a beautiful home at No. 140 Thirtieth street, 4 rooms in house, and also two houses in rear, fine investment. These properties will be sold to the highest bidder, terms to suit. We will also sell ten diamonds and jewelry belonging to an estate. For further particulars see J. A. MUNRO & CO., Auctioneers.

AOKI JOINS FIANCEE IN FLIGHT TO WASHINGTON TO BE MARRIED

MRS. JOHN A. EMERY. MISS HELEN GLADYS EMERY.



Scene at Corte Madera When the Party Took the Train and Were Mobbed by Crowd.

WHOLE CITY IN MOURNING FOR MR. M'ELROY

Solemn Service Will Be Held in St. Frances de Sales Church Friday

The following are the pall-bearers for the funeral of Mr. McElroy: The active pall-bearers will be eight sergeants of police in uniform as follows: Sergeants Curtis, McCloud, Mulgren, Brown, Byrne, Woods, Walters and Fergie. The honorary pall-bearers are as follows: Vincent A. Dodge, W. H. Donahue, Frank Corbin, Charles E. Snook, Frank R. Mott, Frederick C. Turner, Judge John Ellsworth, R. M. Fitzgerald, Dr. F. N. Ewer, Garrett W. McElroy, Dr. J. J. Milton, Dr. Harry P. Sullivan, Dr. J. M. Kane, Dr. O. D. Hamilton, John J. McDonald, Hugh Hogan Sr. A platoon of police will escort the funeral from the house to the church, and it has been arranged by Mayor Mott that the City Hall bell will toll at intervals of half a minute from 10:30 until 11:30 A. M.

Partial arrangements for the funeral of John Edmund McElroy have been completed. The funeral will be held tomorrow morning at 9:30 o'clock, when a service will be held at the McElroy home at 351 Lee street. To relatives and intimate friends will be present only at this service. A public service will then take place at 10:30 o'clock at the St. Francis de Sales. The Reverend Father McElroy will officiate at both services. Mayor Mott will arrange for the officials to participate in the services. A representative body of both the police and fire departments will attend the

Renounces Right To Servian Throne

BELGRADE, March 25.—George, the Crown Prince of Servia, has renounced his right of succession to the Servian throne. This action is the result of a bitter press campaign in which the crown prince was accused of being the cause of the recent death of one of his servants, a man named Kolarovitch.

Eight Are Killed By Falling Wall

CHICAGO, March 25.—Eight men were killed by a falling wall at the stockyards this afternoon. Three bodies were recovered. The wall was left standing after the fire which recently destroyed one of the Darling & Company's warehouses collapsed.

Mail Carriers For Piedmont June 1

Postmaster Paul Schneider has been given authority from Washington to put into active service a mounted courier and an ordinary carrier in Piedmont, June 1. After that date the Piedmont postoffice will be abandoned. Mr. Schneider expects a similar system for Edwardsville. Two carriers will cover the mails.

8 NEGROES KILLED BY SHERIFF'S POSSE

ST. LOUIS, March 25.—Special from Hettendorf, Okla., states that eight negroes were killed in a fight with a sheriff's posse at Hickory Ground early this morning.

SAFE CRACKER CAUGHT AT WORK

Shots and Police Whistles Arouse Neighborhood at Early Hour

SAN FRANCISCO, March 25.—Following a "succession of pistol shots and cries for help, together with the blowing of police whistles, John Finner, a waiter, was arrested while in the act of endeavoring to rob the store of J. J. Hara, a contractor, 1645 Fifteenth street, at 1:30 o'clock this morning.

Successor to Late City Attorney McElroy

There is considerable speculation as to who will be appointed by Mayor Mott to succeed the late City Attorney, John E. McElroy. It is likely to be given the appointment with Attorney John J. McDonnell. In the event that Senator Nelson accepted it, he would have to resign as State Senator and also as attorney for the State Licensure Commission, for which he receives a salary of \$200 a month. It is said that Charles E. Snook could have the appointment, but his large and lucrative private practice would preclude him from accepting the office if it were tendered him.

MEETS GIRL AND MOTHER NEAR SACRAMENTO

Is With Them on Train When it Passes Through Capital

HOOTS AND JEERS GIVEN AS FAREWELL

Miss Emery Stoned By Mob When She Leaves Corte Madera

How Miss Emery Sees Her Japanese Marriage

As Christians we believe that nothing counts but the character of the individual. That a man of intelligence, because he is born in Japan, should be forbidden by a public largely of foreign birth to marry the woman of his choice, because she is an American is preposterous and unjust. That the two races will ever mix I do not believe possible, but individuals may find happiness in marriage. A child born of intelligent Japanese and American parents is more apt to become a useful citizen than a child whose father and mother were peasant immigrants from Europe. If America ever stood for freedom that freedom has been destroyed. If America ever stood for free thinking, that free thinking has disappeared. I believe I hold the key to happiness. Perhaps in the end this commotion will achieve something towards raising the tone of public sentiment.

A MID a shower of tin cans, old shoes, rice and calla lilies, and with an uninvited escort of a mob of yelling youngsters and not a few "oldsters," Miss Helen Gladys Emery, who has caused no end of international discussion, left the Emery home at Corte Madera yesterday, accompanied only by her mother, and started on her journey to Tacoma, Wash., where she is to wed Gunjiro Aoki, former Japanese cook and general man-of-all-work at the Emery household.

Aoki was not with them when they left, but it was understood that he intended to join his fiancée and her mother before reaching Sacramento. The mother and daughter were met in the ferry depot here by the secretary of Bishop Nichols. Archbishop Emery did not appear at the ferry, nor was he at the Corte Madera station when his wife and daughter faced the hostile crowd. Apparently he has not changed his attitude of opposition to the prospective marriage of Miss Emery and her Japanese fiancée.

Miss Emery, her mother and Aoki passed through Sacramento at midnight on the Oregon Express. There was no demonstration. The parties refused to make any statement. The Japanese author was not in the house, but a search of the premises revealed the fact that he had a room there, and several articles of his apparel were found. The women said he had visited there for several days.

Used Jiu Jitsu

Mrs. Emery said the rowdies of the town had threatened the Japanese with bodily injury because he gave a beating to two of their number about a week ago. He told the women that three men had attacked him one night while he was going to the Emery house and that he had bowled them over by applying his knowledge of jiu jitsu. The women consented to a newspaper interview at 1:30 p. m. This continued for several hours, and after posing on their front porch for several photographers they began to dress for their trip. Newspapersmen assisted the two to move their furniture. The best of it was sold to J. James of Corte Madera and the remainder went to the home of Mrs. Craig, sent there by the order of the archbishop. PORTLAND, Ore., March 25.—Should Miss Gladys Emery, daughter of Archbishop Nichols, be permitted to marry a Japanese? This question is being discussed in the city.

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ACTOR TOO CRUEL, SPOUSE COMPLAINS

Will Martin Once Threatened to Shoot, Wife Charges in Suit

One night during their short married career Will B. Martin, whose occupation is given as that of a theatrical man, came home and found his pretty little wife Elsie all curled up in bed asleep with her pet dog, Tido—on maybe it was Tansy—in her arms.

Martin proceeded without ceremony or warning to kick both spouse and canine out of bed. He threw the dog about as far into the street as he could hurl it from the front door and then went back and jammed Mrs. Martin's head against the wall a few times just to beat it into her head that he would not tolerate doggie where hubby had the exclusive right to repose.

Disobeys His Command

On another occasion Martin thumped his wife unmercifully when, during a row, she pulled out a ring and threw it upon the floor and refused to pick it up when he commanded her to do so.

In fact, numerous were the times that Martin beat his wife and on one occasion he threatened to shoot her with a revolver that he always carried.

These allegations constitute the grounds upon which Mrs. Martin secured an interlocutory decree of divorce in the Superior Court this morning, the charge against Martin being extreme cruelty.

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COUPONS LOST

A letter addressed to L. F. Young, Crocker Building, San Francisco, containing fifteen coupons, Santa Cruz Portland Cement Company, bonds, was lost either in Oakland or San Francisco, on Monday, March 8.

Payment on same has been stopped.

A suitable reward will be paid by returning the same to The Tribune office.

JURY BOX IN CALHOUN TRIAL IS FILLED AGAIN

SAN FRANCISCO, March 25.—Two more jurors were temporarily passed in the Calhoun case this morning. One was Jas. B. Gorman, a carriage painter of 5 State street, whose examination was begun yesterday afternoon. To everyone's great surprise Henry C. Graham of the California Transportation Company was readily passed by both sides for the second juror accepted today. There is still one vacancy in the jury box.

The proceedings today will be to select juror, the temporary jurors accepted having been ordered in court tomorrow morning for the final weeding out process.

Charles Blender, a former contractor, residing at 714 Castro street, was passed as the twelfth juror in the Calhoun case at 3:04 o'clock this afternoon. The box is now full, there being six jurors sworn and six temporarily passed for the trial.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 25.—Ten minutes only were spent by Special Prosecutor Francis J. Heney at the Calhoun trial yesterday. When proceedings were continued this morning he was missing again. It has been suggested that he is spending his time working up the case, but when it is remembered that because of the three previous trials with Henry C. Graham, who is familiar with its every detail, and as Special Agent Burns seems to be doing nothing else but looking into the evidence and line up the witnesses, it is believed that something else must be engaging his attention.

He appears to be tired of the trial, and at present at least, O'Gara is doing nearly all the fighting. After a day spent in resting at their hotel, spiced with a ride to the beach and a visit last evening to the theater, the six sworn jurors were again in court today.

SWORN IN. Joseph Dixon, clerk, 2000 Steiner street. Peter Anthes, Sr., retired mining man, 763 San Jose avenue. Michael Maguire, retired hay and grain merchant, 261 Pacific. Robert Samson, civil and mining engineer, 228 Liberty. Charles H. Suydam, wholesale grocer, 2201 California. James Granville, retired, 4227 Eighteenth.

TEMPORARILY PASSED. Joseph E. Clark, carpenter, 1499 Eleventh avenue. James Graham, clerk, 1110 Waller. Theodore Blinnor, ornamental decorator, 648 Ashbury. James B. Gorman, carriage painter, 5 State. Henry C. Graham, California Transportation Co., 608 Steiner.

First Talesman

The first citizen placed under the vicious questioning of counsel was James B. Gorman, a carriage painter, residing at 5 State street, who was called at the very start by his answers to Attorney Earl Rogers to be qualified ultimately to serve as a juror in the case. He claimed to be delightfully and unusually opinionless regarding the issues involved in the present charge, and although he admitted acquaintances with a number of ex-supervisors, knew of no reason why he could not be impartial if sworn for the trial.

Rogers discovered that Gorman formerly had a partner named Gowan, a relative of Heney, who had held up the reputation to him as a model and excellent in the good work he was doing. This, however, had not affected his mind in any way and he asserted that he had never been either a supporter or an advocate of the graft prosecution. He declared that he had not tried to read much in the papers and had paid but little attention to the graft disclosures. When the usual test question came, he said he was positive that if he were in Calhoun's place he would be willing to accept a jury of men in his own condition of mind.

As to Partner

He was passed by the defense, and O'Gara, inquired in some detail regarding his present partner, a man named Gowan, but he was unable to disclose how the latter stood on the subject of the graft developments. He had told Rogers that he felt that Gowan had been too liberally bestowed, but when counsel pressed him on that point he averred that the free bill of exchange passed out to the board, and promised to Roger, would not influence him in any way nor would he be affected by his favoritism for the company regarding the car strike.

Mr. Gorman was then asked if he would be able to go and attend to his business if called to the jury box.

He answered that he would be able to go and attend to his business if called to the jury box.

As to Immunity

"You knew that the supervisors had received immunity, did you not?" "Yes, sir."

"Have you any opinion as to that?" "I think they shouldn't have let them all go."

He declared that his ideas on the matter would not affect him in any way, and that he was not a supporter of the graft prosecution. He was then asked if he would be able to go and attend to his business if called to the jury box.

Is Accepted

This concern had also had some business with the car company but he had come into no personal relations with any of the officials. The case was then passed to the next juror, who was called by the defense and was accepted by both sides.

Expressed Conditions

He thought he could be fair, but had expressed an opinion on the case on previous occasions. He believed he could lay that feeling to one side and try the case on the evidence alone. He was then asked if he would be able to go and attend to his business if called to the jury box.

Relative of Heney

Then came a surprise, James B. Gorman's former partner, Edward Gowan, retired of the Cole street, a relative of Heney, was called, and he had a strong opinion and was challenged and excused, after Moore had been refused permission to examine him regarding his conversation with Gorman.

PROPOSE TO TEST FRATERNITY LAW

Fight Will Be Started in Courts at Instigation of the Phi Sigma

EDWARD A. CUNHA.

A committee representing the local high school fraternities was appointed at the Phi Sigma banquet last night to devise ways and means of combating the new law, and to instigate a fight in the courts. It is the intention of the students to take up the fight for the right to maintain their secret societies in the courts, and the law firm of Weinmann, Wood and Cunha of San Francisco have been retained to fight a test case.

Wellmann is a member of the Gamma Kappa Fraternity and Cunha is a member of the Sigma Alpha Epsilon. He was president of the student body during his senior year and was a strong factor in stamping out the prejudice existing among the faculty at that time against the Greek letter associations.

No Desire to Antagonize

B. L. York, who has been appointed chairman of the committee in charge of the campaign, in discussing the stand taken by the secret society men, said today:

By no means our desire to antagonize the school authorities. A law has been passed aimed at the annihilation of all fraternities in the secondary schools of California. Phi Sigma is included among the fraternities affected by this law, and we are now endeavoring to establish an institution which appears to us legitimate and beyond criticism, we feel that we are entitled to a hearing on the validity of the law in question.

To Interest Others

"It is our intention to attempt to interest other fraternities in this matter so that the movement will be general and the validity of the law determined upon the basis of all cases. If the law is declared constitutional and valid we will then willingly withdraw the chapters of our fraternity from the schools of California, and if the law is unable to withstand just scrutiny we will carry over to the past to maintain our fraternity in perfect accord with the best interests of the institutions whose our chapters are installed."

Opposes Immunity

John Smith, an architect, of 1004 Point street, who was questioned interrogated favored Calhoun on the score of legal rights and was held up by the supervisors. He had been held up by the supervisors. He had been held up by the supervisors.

Yesterday's Session

SAN FRANCISCO, March 25.—When the trial resumed this morning, the case was continued from yesterday's session. The case was then passed to the next juror, who was called by the defense and was accepted by both sides.

Long Arguments

Alfred C. Gray, in the absence of Heney, who appeared at the session only for a moment, argued for the prosecution, while Rogers and Moore, Sr. stated the defense. Gray's arguments were rather unimpressive and counsel was forced to repeat his charges again and again. The prosecution would have to prove the charges in this particular case.

Challenge Allowed

Gray charged that counsel had incited the jury, but Gray answered sufficiently to the court's question to question on his own account. The challenge was then allowed and a new juror was called.

Calhoun Innocent

He believed Calhoun innocent, and would not want to convict him on the evidence of the supervisors. O'Gara's challenge was then allowed and a new juror was called.

Hayward Company

HAS INCORPORATED

The J. S. Hayward Company has been incorporated for the purpose of doing a general livestock, grain and agricultural business. Its principal place of business will be Hayward. The capital stock is \$10,000, and the incorporators and original directors are J. S. Hayward, J. S. Wood and Frank Cason, all of Hayward.

CONFIRMS GREAT BENEFIT FROM PAYNE BILL

Raw Material Should Be Admitted Free, Argues Crumpacker

LOOKS FOR BIG TRADE WITH SOUTH AMERICA

Sees Prosperity Ahead If Tariff Measure Is Enacted Into Law

WASHINGTON, March 25.—Declaring that the commendatory feature of the Payne bill is the placing of certain raw materials used in manufacturing on the free list, Representative Crumpacker of Indiana the most pronounced downward revisionist among the Republican members of the Ways and Means committee, in a speech in the House today discussed at great length the protection ideas and some of the most important schedules in the bill. He said that tariff bills are peculiar in the result of compromises and that he had no doubt that the Payne bill is a great improvement over the Dingley act.

Home Competition

"The object of protection," said Crumpacker, "is to stimulate domestic industries along natural lines, where the resources of the country are capable of supplying the entire domestic demand, thereby creating home competition and securing to the people the comforts and necessities of life at stable and reasonable prices."

Competitive duties should not be unnecessarily high. It is often charged that a protective tariff creates trusts. This is a combination growing out of the passion of avarice, and they are not a thing to be feared. It is a thing to be feared.

Duties a Handicap

"The theory of the free raw material doctrine is that it promotes the greatest development of industry and gives the greatest opportunities for the employment of capital and labor. Duties upon raw material are a handicap upon the American manufacturer for they lock up the material in the hands of a few people, thereby increasing the cost of production. This is a great handicap upon the American manufacturer for they lock up the material in the hands of a few people, thereby increasing the cost of production.

Benefit to Laborer

Crumpacker made a lengthy argument in favor of free hides, asserting that the duty on hides has increased the cost of shoes for the wage earner, and that the duty on hides has increased the cost of shoes for the wage earner, and that the duty on hides has increased the cost of shoes for the wage earner.

Democratic "Sham"

Attacking the "tariff for revenue only" policy of the Democratic party, Crumpacker charged that it was a "sham" and a "fraud." He discussed the maximum and minimum provisions of the Payne bill and declared it to be a "sham."

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BRIDE IS BEING HELD PRISONER

Angry Mother-in-Law Takes Strenuous Steps When She Was Expected to Forge

San Francisco, March 25.—A former student at the University of California, is going through his second matrimonial trial, being held prisoner by her mother in law, Mrs. Shinglerberger, while a student and not 18 years old, contracted a marriage with a chorus girl. The wedding ceremony was held in the Angeles Saturday.

Unknown to the bride's mother, Shinglerberger married Mrs. Clark less than a month ago, and when they made known the facts to her, she was so angry that she locked up the bride, who is not yet 18.

Shinglerberger went to San Francisco, where he had his troubles before he was married. He was a student at the University of California, and was a member of the Phi Sigma Fraternity. He was a student at the University of California, and was a member of the Phi Sigma Fraternity.

Called Old Hen

Mrs. A. F. Jansen frequently called her father-in-law an old hen, and a cat and an insignificant shrimp while they lived together, she alleges. Sometimes he would have fits of moodiness and wouldn't speak so much as a word to his spouse for three months at a stretch.

He would glare at his wife so ferociously as to drive her into hysterics, and when she would leave him and go home to her mother, he would threaten to cut her clothes up to prevent her leaving home.

Says Kipling Is Immoral

In addition to this, when Jansen found out that his wife was a member of a Black and Tan literary club he raised the very mischief with her and forbade her from having anything more to do with the organization, holding that Shakespeare, Dickens and Kipling were all immoral and not fit for people of refined literary tastes to associate with.

Whenever Mrs. Jansen would refer to her father-in-law's presence the latter would fly into a towering rage and say the old man was a maniac. He would also call Mrs. Jansen such endearing names as "blatant skink" and "vixen" and accuse her of being a habitual liar.

It is at least these are some of the grounds upon which Mrs. Jansen secured an interlocutory decree of divorce this morning in the Superior Court, and then her complaints contain about as many more allegations in support of her allegations that her husband has been guilty of extreme cruelty towards her.

Roosevelt Spends Quiet Day on Board Ship

ON BOARD STEAMSHIP HAMBURG, at New York, March 24 (via wire)—The report published in the United States that President Roosevelt would visit the city of New York, is to visit members of the Vanderbilt family at Newport this summer was given official denial here today.

PRINCE EIBEL NOT COMING ON VISIT TO VANDERBILTS

BIRMINGHAM, March 25.—The report published in the United States that Prince Eibel, Frederick, second son of Emperor William, is to visit members of the Vanderbilt family at Newport this summer was given official denial here today.

Oakland Man to Be Orator at Stockton

STOCKTON, March 25.—The convention of the Epworth League which opened in this city last Monday has reached the high water mark of success. The White of Oakland will speak tonight. This afternoon the delegates were guests at the Sterling Lunch Rooms.

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Barker Tile and Mantel Company, has deserted. It is said, his business in the city and has fled to Spokane and to Wash. He was a prominent Elk and member of the Portland Commodore Club, an exclusive organization of businessmen in the northern city. Barker is a relative of Charles Skelly, the secretary of the local commissioner.

Mrs. Barker, wife of the well-known business man, is in the dark as to his whereabouts. Miss McCleod, secretary of the Portland Board of Education,

experience, hanging to the boat over-
turned by the surf while sharks swam
around. They were rescued after an
hour's struggle to keep out of the way

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when he goes home. When the public play and recreation ground become general we shall have very little need for

has extended an invitation to speak before that body next evening on the same theme, accepted.

John E. McElroy---In Memoriam.

The death of John E. McElroy, for six years past our capable and faithful City Attorney, has grieved the entire community. Rarely does a man die so universally mourned, so universally conceded to be scrupulously honorable in all his dealings, whether public or private, and so kindly and useful in all the relations of life. The widespread feeling that his death is a substantial loss to the community is the highest proof of his value as a citizen and a public official.

Mr. McElroy was a fine example of clean, healthy, useful manhood. As citizen and public servant he merited the unfeigned respect of the public, and it was accorded to him generously. With esteem went popular affection. People generally felt a pride in his talents and the useful and upright ways of their employment. He can have no better eulogy than the fact that his friends are under no necessity to conceal, explain or apologize for any act in his career. At first glance this statement seems quite simple, but the more it is examined the greater its significance appears. It is an epitaph that can be truthfully written on the tombs of few men. It is true of John McElroy. His virtues do not have to be magnified that his faults may be minimized or obscured.

It cannot be said that Mr. McElroy was a brilliant man or that his talents were of the showy order. There was nothing spectacular about him. But he was a man above the ordinary in every way. His attainments, like his virtues and talents, were of the solid order, and he employed them for the betterment of social and political conditions, for building up a bigger and a better city and a better society. He was a wholesome influence in his environment. He did his duty at all times, modestly and quietly as becomes a gentleman; and while holding to a rigid code of ethics and following a strictly correct rule of personal conduct he was courteously tolerant of the opinions of others and had a gentle charity for faults and failings he did not himself possess. He let his own moral cleanness speak its praise by example, never by detraction of others or invidious comparisons to his own credit. His daily life was a character lesson, a moral stimulant, an exhortation to honor, sobriety and useful endeavor. It is a profound pity that he should be cut down in the flower of a manhood richly endowed with high qualities and animated by noble purposes.

Repeated election to public office is not invariably a testimony to character, but it was with John E. McElroy. A Democrat who never concealed or apologized for his opinions and who never forsook his party communion, he was four times elected to the second most important office in the city in which his party is in a hopeless minority. His fidelity to public trust and devotion to public duty were so signally demonstrated that in the last two elections his name was placed on the Republican ticket without compromise or surrender of his political convictions. Twice previously he had defeated at the polls Republican candidates of ability, high standing and irreproachable character. It is worth remembering that he never said an unkind word of his opponents and held their friendship up to the hour of his death. Today they will be among the readiest to testify to his worth and the service he has rendered the city.

It is a fact not generally known to the public that Mr. McElroy heartily desired to lay down the cares of office, and intended to do so at the close of the term closed by his untimely death, and only consented to be a candidate again from a sense of the duty he owed the community that had so signally honored him and from a feeling of loyalty to his associates in the city government. He had labored with them to develop municipal enterprises of great magnitude. Sharing their efforts in behalf of civic betterment, and ardently devoted to the interests of the city which held the dearest associations of his youth and manhood, he felt that duty called him to renounce personal inclinations and sacrifice professional emolument for the time being. Knowing the attacks on them were baseless and unjust, he loyally stood with them in the campaign. Probably he answered the call of citizenship at the cost of his life, for in all likelihood his death resulted from the exposure and arduous labors of the campaign. But he died on the firing line of civic obligation, and the grief that his friends feel is mitigated by the consoling knowledge that he leaves behind an untarnished name and an example worthy of admiration and emulation.

As son and husband Mr. McElroy emphasized the virtues he exemplified as a citizen and a public official. The nobleness and simplicity of his life in this respect can hardly be overdone. To his children he leaves a rich legacy in the affection and esteem he won from his fellowmen, who honored, respected and trusted him, and who today feel a genuine sorrow at his loss.

Bryce's Charter Day Address.

It is a noteworthy fact that THE TRIBUNE is the only newspaper in the State that published in full the Charter Day address delivered by British Ambassador James Bryce at the Greek Theater of the State University. THE TRIBUNE was, in fact, the only California newspaper to recognize the true worth of Dr. Bryce's scholarly tribute to California. There was nothing in the address strained or overdrawn. It was, in fact, a compact and discriminating presentation of the State's physical and educational progress.

The address was never intended, of course, to be used as an advertisement of California abroad. But it certainly could be so used and turned to advantageous account. The reader of it cannot fail to be impressed by the sincerity, unselfishness and impartiality of Bryce's observations of the developments that have taken place since the distinguished visitor was here before and of his forecast of California's future possibilities.

Few public addresses have been delivered in many years past as well calculated to promote California's best interests abroad as this Charter Day address. It has the merit of embodying the impressions of a keen and discriminating observer, distinguished in letters, politics and diplomacy, whose name and fame are familiar wherever the English language is spoken. THE TRIBUNE has started the circulation abroad of this friendly tribute, but it remains for the promotion organizations to turn it to its larger usefulness by spreading it broadcast over the land to exploit California's physical and educational attractions.

The success of the good county roads bonding proposition for \$1,800,000 adopted by San Joaquin County prompts the Calaveras Prospect to urge the authorization of a \$200,000 bond issue for the improvement of the highways in that county. The value of good county roads cannot be overestimated, and every county is justified in making posterity carry a part of the burden of building them.

President Taft's parting gift to ex-President Roosevelt was a gold pen. Persons in the habit of detecting deep significance in small things may discern in this gift a subtle intimation that the donor would prefer any suggestions from his predecessor as to how the government should be run to be made in writing.

THE NATIONAL GAME.
"Play Ball!"

Conquest of the South Pole.

The extraordinary success of the Shackelford Antarctic expedition is sure to give a wonderful impetus to south polar exploration. Lieutenant Shackelford and his party started from the edge of the Antarctic icefield at Cape Boyd, where the steamship Nimrod, under his command, was anchored, and with sledges drawn by four ponies, struck south for the pole across the rough and mountainous polar continent, following as nearly as could be the 168th meridian. The start was made on October 29, 1908, and on January 9, 1909, the party reached latitude 88 degrees and 23 minutes, longitude 162 east, having crossed several mountain ranges and one plateau 9000 feet above sea level, when the party was compelled to retrace its steps. It returned to the ship safely without the loss of a man.

This branch of the expedition came practically within sight of the south pole, which was only 111 miles from the point where Shackelford and his men turned back. No previous Antarctic expedition had been able to reach a point further south than 70 degrees 50 minutes. The party, therefore, made 17 degrees and 33 minutes more southing during the trip than any one had succeeded in doing before. It was absent from the ship 126 days and traveled 1760 miles.

Almost as remarkable an achievement was accomplished by another party through the location of the southern magnetic pole, which was the work assigned to it. This achievement is considered of the greatest value to navigation.

While the purpose of the expedition was not for the gratification of an ambition to reach the pole, it came so near doing it that the achievement is among the possibilities of the near future. The feasibility of reaching the pole has been amply proved by the expedition. The main purpose was to ascertain the character of the south polar continent and this part of its mission as well as that fixing the position of the magnetic pole has been successfully performed. An immense amount of data of the highest geographical and geological value has been gathered by the expedition. The complete success of the latter and the knowledge of the polar region it has obtained is sure to result in another expedition being outfitted at once to follow the line of march of the Shackelford party and continue it to the actual pole itself. There are plenty of adventurous spirits ready to volunteer to carry it out.

"But we do not admit that any corporation can bribe an honest man," said Gavin McNab in an address before the Commonwealth Club of San Francisco. Never was a truer thing said or better said. Before this sharp epigram a vast structure of sophistry and meretricious special pleading collapses like a punctured bladder. Bribery is bribery, whether practiced by corporations or individuals, and is neither to be tolerated nor condoned. But no amount of sophistry can disguise the fact that an honest man cannot be bribed, and that opportunity rather than temptation develops and quickens the cupidity of the thief. It is the experience of everyday life that the man who is false to his oath and his trust will not be true to his bribe or to anything but the instinct of self-preservation. The notion that he is a victim rather than a criminal is vicious and should be discouraged. It merely furnishes an excuse for other scoundrels to harter away honor and public right, sell them to the highest bidder, and then confess somebody else to be the criminals, throw the blame on other shoulders, keep the proceeds of their villainy, go unwhipped of justice and be rehabilitated among their neighbors as men of truth and honor. It is a plea for dishonor and unholly avarice, for perjury as well as bribery, for shameless breaches of the highest trust of citizenship. It shrives and absolves every venal traitor in office, every rogue who enriches himself by bribery and blackmail while acting as the sworn custodian of the interests he sells and betrays and the power he utilizes to extort blackmail. Mr. McNab pierces to the marrow the false theory that the bribery of public officials is the corruption of honest men by designing villains when he says no corporation can bribe an honest man.

The showery weather of the present week makes doubly sure the certainty of good crops for the whole State this year.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR

People will nearly always tell the truth when they can make something by doing it.

The hardest lesson to learn in life is that you never learn any worth much of anything.

Generally a man who thinks he is witty is about as successful at entertaining you as a nail in your shoe.

The average man seems to think the best way to get ahead in the world is to hold some other fellow back.

The more money a man could make investing it in a good thing the surer it would be not to be a good thing if he had it to invest.

PRESIDENT TAFT GOES THROUGH HIS BIG CHAIR

WASHINGTON, March 26.—President Taft severed another link connecting him with the Roosevelt administration yesterday when, as ex-President Roosevelt was sailing out of New York harbor for Africa, the President broke the chair formerly occupied by his predecessor. Early today the chair was borne from the White House and sent to a local shop for repairs.

The chair taken from the executive offices today was a large mahogany swivel chair.

NOTED LECTURER TO SPEAK ON NORWAY

Johann Saerovold, B. A., will give an illustrated lecture on his travels through Norway in Hamilton Auditorium, corner Thirteenth and Jefferson streets, tonight. Saerovold is one of the most noted lecturers on the subject of Norway. He has spent many years traveling through the land of the Midnight Sun collecting information and pictures.

WESTON IS AN HOUR AHEAD OF SCHEDULE

ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 26.—Edward Payson Weston arrived in Rochester last night on his way to San Francisco. He was in good shape and a little over an hour ahead of his schedule. Weston made thirty-nine miles yesterday.



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NOTE AND EXCERPT

Cicero: The dutifulness of children is the foundation of all virtues. The fact remains, however, that it is half-reckless downward is going to be up-hill work.

Shiloh: The poet's verse slides to the current of our blood. We read when young we remember it when old. Missouri will take pride in the appointment of Ralph C. Kerens to be an assessor to Vienna. The Old World is food for a to send the aggressive Reactionaries and the more the better.

California has enacted an anti-grabbing law and Nevada has given an anti-grabbing law. The Legislature of these two highly wrought commonwealths appear to have recovered from their "brainstorm."

But why should Mr. Harriman build a line of railway through Old Mexico and Central America to Panama? Depend upon it, Mr. Harriman has some more subtle motive than enabling the ships to watch the ships go through.

Hoke Smith declares that Democratic sentiment is unanimous that someone other than Mr. Bryan must lead a party in 1912. Following the same line of thought, a little further, the Democrat who is up-and-coming, and who displays some capacity for real leadership, is Champ Clark of Missouri.

Seated opposite the late James McNeill Whistler at dinner one evening was a patrolling young lord. During a lull in the conversation he adjusted his monocle and leaned forward toward the artist. "Aw, y' know, Mr. Whistler," he drawled, "I phoned your house this m'ning." "Thank you," said Whistler, quietly. "Thank you very much."

"Many stories have been told of Cipriano Castro, exiled president of Venezuela, and of his monumental conceit," said Dr. T. H. Malenough of San Francisco. "During the Russo-Japanese war the fall of Port Arthur was being explained to him. 'Bah!' he exclaimed. 'With 500 Venezuelans I could have taken it in four days.'"

"With 1000 in one day," said the diplomat. "The diplomatic representative of a European power," he was so pleased that it is said the diplomat succeeded the next day in procuring the payment of a claim that his government had been vainly pressing for years."

Melba, describing Australia in an inter-

view, said: "My fellow countrymen are like your Westerners of the '70s. They have a delicious humor and a mocking scepticism. The bishop of Ballarat rode one night into a little township of his diocese that he had never visited before. It was late and rainy. The only building with a light in it was the office of the local paper, and the bishop knocked on the door with his crop stick. 'Hello below!' cried a voice, and a head popped out of the window. 'I am the bishop of Ballarat,' said the prelate mildly. 'Will you be so good as to direct me to a hotel?' From a roomful of compositors came a loud burst of laughter, and another man stuck out his head and said to the bishop in a jargon of kindly reproach: 'Look here, old man, you've had about enough hotel for one night! Go on home and go to bed, or you'll get run in as sure as shootin'!'"

Pointed Paragraphs

If you can't talk of anything but your woes, don't.

Free speech is all right if you don't get too free with it.

Well-balanced people are careful to weigh their words.

No truly great man needs a brass band to herald his coming.

It isn't easy for a learned man to learn to love a learned woman.

A grass widow knows enough to make a man while the sun shines.

No man was ever known to forgive another for stopping on his pet corn.

If you have time to waste you can afford to argue with a man who is in love.

I sometimes happen that a woman has an attentive husband and doesn't know it.

The heads of some people are capable of generating more noise than a brass drum.

No, Coriella, a man doesn't necessarily bait his breath for the purpose of catching it.

A man would rather be held up by strangers than thrown down by his friends.

After leaving college many a bachelor has taken a post-graduate course by marrying a widow.

When a man begins to make flowery speeches it's up to the woman in the case to nip them in the bud.

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MRS. R. CHICKERING,
Who Is to Make European
Tour.
—Webster Photo.



**MRS. E. de LAVEAGA,
Who Entertained at the Fair-
mont Today.**

The Oakland Women's Suffrage Amendment League will hold its regular monthly meeting Friday evening, March 26, at the bookshop in the children's room of the Oakland Public Library, 12 M. Street. The subject of the evening is "Taking for Granted," by M. M. Folsom, Ph.D., on the subject "The Polytechnic High School, a Condition and Needs." The Rev. William Day Simond, Christopher Ruess and other well-known men will take part in the discussion. All who are interested in the education and future welfare of our boys and girls are cordially invited to attend. The League is a very interesting and useful organization and those who attend find themselves brought close to

The exhibition will be open to the public from 10 o'clock a. m. to 5 o'clock p. m.

ENTERTAINED SEWING CLUB.
The members of one of the popular sewing clubs were entertained yesterday afternoon by Miss Grace Downey. Fol-

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HEART—TRIBUNE'S PAGE FOR WOMEN—HOME

Only Woman in Country Who Can Make Laws Is a Bold and Strenuous Fighter

DENVER, March 25.—Mrs. Alma LaFerty is the only woman in America who has a legal right to help make the laws for other women. She is a member of the Colorado Legislature and represents a Denver district. She is on several committees, and is a very busy woman. "How did I come to go into politics?" she said, repeating a query.

"I didn't go in for them; I was in them, I couldn't help it."

"The women's club of Denver has been working for public baths and public playgrounds for a long time."

"Mayor Spear gave us those public playgrounds and helped to give us the public baths."

"Then, when next election came around, I thought every woman in the State ought to throw her influence for the man who had done so much for the women and children of the State."

"And I said so. I kept saying so, and by and by the Democrats came and asked me if I would run for the Legislature on their ticket."

"I said I would. I ran, and I was elected—that's all there is to that."

"The women elected me, the men scratched me."

"When I first came in I talked with the different committees of which I am a member, and told them that I had come into the Legislature to do some honest work; that I believed I could do better than any man could do it, because it was work that concerned women and children."

"I also told them that I didn't want any consideration on account of my being a woman. All I expected or wanted, was decent, square, honest treatment. If I made a fool of myself, I said, over a bill, I expect to be called a fool—and I shall not run home and cry about it, either."

"I have had some pretty sharp fights over some of my bills, but they were all honest, aboveboard fights; and there was no malice or anything mean or personal about them."

"I am chairman of the education committee, and I think there always should be a woman chairman of that committee."

Girl Stricken Dumb When Her Fiance Is Married

SYRACUSE, March 25.—Stricken dumb when she learned on Friday that her fiance had married another, Miss Belle Baum, of No. 421 Harrison street, seventeen years old, has not been able to speak a word since. Dr. J. B. Helman attributes her loss of speech to hysteria, and until this morning she was in a state of coma. This morning the physician questioned her, and although she was unable to speak, she could write her answers to his inquiries.

The physician says that a sudden shock may render the girl's speech, but as yet no attempt has been made to shock or frighten her. In the Supreme Court today Judge Irving R. Devendorf appointed her brother, George Baum, her guardian ad litem to bring an action against her former suitor for breach of promise.

The man who is to be sued is William Meyer of Liverpool. On Thursday he

and Miss King of the same village were married in Buffalo.

Upon hearing of the wedding Miss Baum went to Buffalo and it was while on her way home on a train that she collapsed. On her arrival in Syracuse she was taken home in an ambulance.

According to a summons and complaint served on Meyer, he promised on February 4 to marry the girl on February 15, and then the date was postponed until March 8, only to again be put off. Then the complaint alleges Miss Baum, her father and the bridegroom went to have gone to the City Hall for a marriage license yesterday.

At the home today the girl, when questioned, wrote the following on a piece of paper: "Please don't say anything about Willie. I loved him so. He was always so good to me. Only if you can ask him just to come in and see me once. If I could only be with him for a moment I would be all right again. I love him so."

Half Billion Chorus Is Again Invaded by Cupid

PITTSBURG.—The engagement of Miss Virginia Frew, one of the wealthy young women of Pittsburgh, to Thurston Wright, a young man of small means connected with a Pittsburgh banking house has been announced, and a society is wondering where the effects of the "Half Billion Dollar Chorus" in Pittsburgh last June will end.

The marriage of Miss Frew will be the fourth resulting in part from the remarkable rehearsal for "The Flamingo of Penzance," which was given here by the rich young people of Pittsburgh, the combined wealth of whose parents was close to \$500,000,000.

Miss Frew, a daughter of William N. Frew, personal representative of Andrew Carnegie here, was of this rich chorus, and Wright, as her escort, also took part. The first sensation of the chorus came

when Miss Lucille Reising, who had been engaged to lead the chorus, eloped with Paul E. Griffey of Denver, Dr. Maitland Alexander, her father, refusing to marry them.

During the production of the play the engagement of Marjorie Rea, another of the chorus and daughter of one of Pittsburgh's rich men, to Shugert Laughlin, another heir to millions, was announced from the stage. They have since married.

Sallie Hall, daughter of a Southern war officer, who was in the chorus, captivated William Schafer, a young man of millions, who wore a shepherd's plaid in the show, and they eloped some months ago from the South to Chicago, from where they telephoned Mamma Schafer in Pittsburgh for forgiveness.

Gown With 500 Buttons; Waist Line Six Inches Above the Knee—Latest

NEW YORK, March 25.—This has been a busy week for President Elizabeth A. C. White of the Dressmakers' Protective Association.

Miss White has a figure with the capacity to wear the "Moyen Age" gown, the sensational costume pioneered for the spring which has the waist line "some six inches above the knee."

Gowns of Middle Ages

It looks exactly like the dresses worn by Juliet Marlowe (or Mino, Moina, as Juliet K. even has the fancy separate pocket suspended at one side, which, as Miss White explained to me, was used "to hold pennies to give the poor people."

You see, the waist is brought away down and the skirt laid in five plaits under it. "In one model the waist comes

down to a point in front and is of normal length in the back. In another a corset effect is produced by heavy bulging with soutache braid."

A feature of the "Moyen Age" dress, besides the separate hanging pocket, which is made of the same material as the gown, is a big buckle worn at the breast and showing wonderful combinations of red and blue and gold.

"Another style," continued Miss White, "is the 'clerical.' It is made to look as much like the French priest's robe as possible, and has many buttons. Why, I will have one dress on exhibition with 500 buttons on it. Another feature of this dress is the stole which forms a part of the corsage in front, but extends over the shoulders in the back in two places that reach to the bottom of the gown."

"These stoles have a foundation of common flowered cretonne. Then they are covered with net to match the gown, and any part of the formal design you fancy is picked out in hand embroidery on the net."

Absence

What shall I do with all the days and hours
That must be counted ere I see thy face?
How shall I charm the interval that lowers
Between this time and that sweet time of grace?
Shall I in slumber steep each weary sense,
Weary with longing? Shall I flee away
Into past days, and with some fond pretense
Cheat myself to forget the present day?
Shall love for thee lay on my soul the sin
Of casting from me God's great gift of time?
Shall I, these mists of memory locked within,
Leave and forget life's purposes sublime?
—Frances Anne Kemble.

"Tea Green" a Favorite

"The favorite color for street wear is called tea green. Then there is a new mustard shade known as khaki d'or."

In the pastel shades the favorites will be "peach blossom" and "cloud blue" and "cloud gray." Raw silk and a new diagonal silk crepe will be the preferred materials.

"Of course, the great novelty is the Moyen age gown. I suppose you know," Miss White condescendingly explained. "It follows the costume lines worn by the fashionable women of the thirteenth, eleventh and twelfth French centuries."

I didn't know what a "French century" was, having a stupid idea that all nations looked alike to Father Time. But I didn't interrupt the oracle to inquire, and she continued:

"The new style requires corsets five inches longer than last year's. Miss White mentioned a special corset (which shall be nameless, except to say it is one recommended by the pattern company, which shall also be nameless), which the dressmakers' convention advertised, and here I shouldered the load and came out."

DAINTY GIRLS OF OLD JAPAN



The Entry of the Geisha.

—London Graphic.

No Japanese dinner-party is complete without the graceful geisha, who are trained from childhood in the arts of conversation, music and dancing. Theirs is the duty to fill the sake-cup, to entertain the guests with their accomplishments, and, in short, to please and charm to the utmost of their power.

Women's Wiles Scare Preachers

CHICAGO, March 25.—"I myself have known of a number of most diabolical plots to entrap and ruin men of God who were doing in entire innocence what they deemed to be their duty. These plots are by no means uncommon in downtown churches."

This statement was made by the Rev. W. B. Barton, pastor of the Congregational Church of Oak Park, in explaining certain remarks which he had made earlier in the day on "The Ministry and Women" before the Presbyterian ministers' conference in the Ohio building.

Mr. Barton had drawn at the conference such a picture of a preacher without guile beset by designing women as made his hearers tremble.

"I recall a circumstance," he said in response to a question put by another minister, "which was decidedly embarrassing to me. One of my congregation, a young woman, remained after service and asked to speak to me privately in my church study. Her father and mother had both come to me and urged me to see her."

"I went into that conference with unshaken innocence and with the spirit of God in my heart, and yet before I emerged from my study was heartily shocked and grieved to find that the woman had purpose quite other than 'the one I had imagined in seeking to talk with me alone. I was obliged to elude her."

"A minister," he said, "should have a wife, and only one wife and he should be absolutely loyal to her. He should never remain for one minute alone in the church study with the street door unlocked."

"Clergymen are probably subjected to more temptation than any other public men, and they should be so surrounded that temptation cannot possibly enter their doors. If the study door is left unlocked there is no telling it what moment some one may enter whose presence there might give rise to suspicion, nor is there any telling what may come of an interview."

"The minister should not lay himself open to temptations by remaining in his study after the janitor has left the church. When the janitor leaves the clergyman should close his study. 'Take your wives with you on ministerial visits'."

One of the ministers said that he invariably had his wife answer the telephone, because a woman can spy out evil motives in another woman more rapidly than a man.

Had Another Purpose

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"A minister," he said, "should have a wife, and only one wife and he should be absolutely loyal to her. He should never remain for one minute alone in the church study with the street door unlocked."

"Clergymen are probably subjected to more temptation than any other public men, and they should be so surrounded that temptation cannot possibly enter their doors. If the study door is left unlocked there is no telling it what moment some one may enter whose presence there might give rise to suspicion, nor is there any telling what may come of an interview."

"The minister should not lay himself open to temptations by remaining in his study after the janitor has left the church. When the janitor leaves the clergyman should close his study. 'Take your wives with you on ministerial visits'."

One of the ministers said that he invariably had his wife answer the telephone, because a woman can spy out evil motives in another woman more rapidly than a man.

THE SAME GIRL IS LOVED BY THREE BROTHERS, NOW DEAD

GRANT CITY, Ill.—Miss Meryl Somers, loved by two brothers, committed suicide March 3.

John Nichols, elder and favored suitor, whom she was to marry, ended his life two days later.

Robert Nichols, who nourished his passion in secret, that by his abnegation the brother and sweetheart might be happy, desolate at the failure of his sacrifice, completed a death triad when he killed himself at his home in Madison today.

A third brother, George Nichols, is frantic from grief, and it is feared that he may lose his reason.

John, George and Robert Nichols were left orphans when Robert, the youngest, was a baby. Several years ago they were separated, the elder brothers going into business for themselves. Last summer Robert made a visit to each of his brothers. At John's farm the elder brother introduced him to Miss Somers, a young neighbor, and the belle of the countryside.

He, too, fell under the spell of her charms. But loyalty to the brother made him conceal his devotion and return to Madison. He never avowed his affection

for Miss Somers, because it would place an obstacle in the way of his brother. Several weeks ago parental objections came between Miss Somers and John Nichols. Her father forbade her to see the young man. One day after sending a tentative note to her sweetheart, she shot herself, dying almost instantly.

Two days later John Nichols walked quietly out of the house in the direction of his sweetheart's late home. In a little grove where he had often met Miss Somers during their courtship, he killed himself with a revolver. In his pocket was found a crumpled note to his brother, Robert, apparently interrupted. It read:

"Dear Brother: My sweetheart and I intended wife was buried yesterday. I am today as one dazed. He went to East St. Louis in the hope that George might come in to visit him. Disappointed in this, he went back to Madison. He attempted at a drug store and attempted to buy carbolic acid. The druggist, noticing he was agitated, substituted a harmless decoction, placing a carbolic acid label upon it. With this in his hand

Robert went into his foster mother's room just before noon.

As he pulled out the bottle to drink the mother snatched it out of his hands and poured the contents out of a window. Robert without another word, went into a kitchen. A search of a bottle of carbolic acid that had been used as a disinfectant. Robert went into the kitchen, where there were several boards. With a cut good-by, he drank the contents of the bottle. When he tried to seize him, he ran out of the house, up the street a few yards, and fell. A few moments later he was dead.

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Girl Gets Burglars, Father Stands Guard

UNIONVILLE, Conn., March 25.—As a station Agent A. V. Burnham made a thrilling capture of two men who were attempting to rob the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad station.

When by an automatic alarm connecting his room with the station he sensed his rise and, taking with him a daughter, who armed herself with a revolver, made his way to the depot, where he discovered two men at work on the safe.

After sending a number of shots through the window and receiving no response to his calls to the men to surrender, he stood guard while his daughter unlocked one of the doors, entered and turned on the lights. The two men were discovered on the other side of the room, and ready to give in.

In the meantime citizens, Deputy Sheriff W. V. Robinson and Constable E. E. Horsham had come up in answer to Burnham's alarm, and the officers took the prisoners in charge and locked them up.

The men gave their names as Frank Luby, 23 years old, and Thomas Carlson, 25. They said that they were in the station to make an exchange of goods, and about a year ago the alarm called him to the station to discover two men at work there. The men escaped after an exchange of shots.

TO ANTHEA, Who May Command Him Anything:

Bid me to live and I will live
Thy Protestant to be
Or bid me love, and I will give
A loving heart to thee.

A heart as soft, a heart as kind,
A heart in sound and fire
As in the whole world thou canst find
That heart I'll give to thee.

Bid that I'll stay, and it will stay
To honor thy decree
Or bid it languish quite away,
And't shall do so for thee.

Bid me to weep, and I will weep
While I have eyes to see;
And, having none, yet I will keep
A heart to weep for thee.

Bid me despair, and I'll despair
Under that express-tree
Or bid me die, and I will dare
To death to die for thee.

Thou art my life, my love, my heart
The very eyes of me;
And hast command of every part
To live and die for thee.

—Robert Herrick.

Tickled, She Smiles, Detectives Happy

PHILADELPHIA, March 25.—Because she couldn't resist smiling when Detective Harry Tucker tickled her under the chin, a young woman at police headquarters displayed a gold tooth, which, Tucker says, identifies her as Annie Schlechter, wanted in Allentown for running away from home.

Under the name of Annie Brown, she was arrested by Special Policemen Vail and Destlake of the Twenty-sixth and York streets station, on the charge of stealing clothing from the residence of Benjamin Shapiro of 2349 North Gratz street.

She was held for further hearing, and when she was taken to detective headquarters Tucker thought she answered the description of the missing girl, and tickled her to find out.

The girl is 26 years old and is pretty.

MISS AVOIDUPOIS

She's quite assetic in her ways,
But she never thinks of that;
She fasts throughout the forty days
And hopes they'll anti-fat.

—T. J. O'Connell.

Lovers Should Not Hurry About Getting Married, Says This Noted Savant

PHILADELPHIA, March 25.—"It would seem to be desirable a marriage license at least before persons are permitted to be married, in order that the married couple be at least a measure wiser."

This was one of the assertions made by Professor Charles Zuehlke, of the University of Chicago, in a lecture on "Sex Morality," delivered before the Philological Society in Horticultural Hall. He added that it is possible some of the great multitude will and in some other's their affections, and for that reason cautioned prospective brides and bridegrooms to a before taking the first plunge.

Professor Zuehlke took a stand for "legalized separation" but declared we must differentiate between those who have children and those who have not.

"The children," he said, "were brought into the world with a devotion to a certain persons take legal separation on the ground that if proper precau-

tion before entering the marriage relation, there would be less trouble about wanting to get out of it. But you cannot always by precautions be sure that the future will be all right. Since we cannot foresee, there must be opportunity for persons, in certain cases, to separate."

Then there is the problem of the adequate division of the family income. Men are paid a certain amount of money for definite labor, but their wives have no claim upon any definite sum, and they are dependent upon the generosity of the husband. Happily this seems adequate in most cases. When people have a bank account the division is simple, and when we get a government banking system the people of the smallest income may deal in checks, and they can divide their income in that way. If that does not adequately protect motherhood, we shall be driven to pensions for mothers."

The speaker declared that to make marriages safer and more happy it is necessary to begin with the children by teaching them in the home, the school and church, the sacredness of sex relationship.

Little Girl Let Mad Dog Bite Her to Save Baby Sister

NEW YORK.—"Good! It was a big black dog," said 6-year-old Agnes, as she lay in a bed at the Pasteur Institute yesterday afternoon. "He bit little Mabel my baby sister, or 2 years old, and I just couldn't see him jump in front of the carriage and let him bite me."

In her childish manner she continued telling a reporter how her baby sister ran on the streets of Pennsylvania, near Wilkes-Barre, and was wheeled Mabel up the street in her go-cart while an awful noise and some one said, "Mad dog!" Then I saw a dog! He was a great big, black dog. He came right for Mabel and jumped in front of the carriage.

"The black dog jumped right at me and I fell back on the ground making little Mabel cry. Poor little Mabel! She had her real head hurt. The dog was on top of me and all over before he got away. He bit me several times on the head. But I don't mind. Mabel was saved. Then some body fired a gun and the dog fell down dead. The child did not tell the story

without some assistance from her father, A. G. Farmer, who brought her into the Pasteur Institute as soon as he heard that the dog was suffering with rabies. He is a very proud father and he cannot stop talking about his courageous little girl. He said yesterday afternoon:

"If little Agnes had not jumped in front of the go-cart the way she did and take the brunt of the attack of this brute there is little doubt that the baby would have been killed or injured for life."

Mr. Farmer left for his home in Dallas in a yesterday afternoon. Little Agnes will stay at the institute until March 30. She will be taken to the country every day, when the air is pure and fresh, returning every night for treatment at the institute.

When asked if she liked it in New York, the little girl said:

"No, there is too much noise. I want to go home to mamma and little Mabel."

When her father said good-by it was with an effort that she kept back her tears, and as he passed out of the room a tearful, shabby little voice said:

"Kiss mamma and little Mabel for me, and come back and bring me home as soon as you can."

THE WITCHING HOUR

"Tis just the hour
When pleasure, like the midn
That scorps the eye of vulga
Begins to bloom for sons of n
And mads who love the moon

—Loore

Elopement And a Prison Commonplace to Him

NEW YORK.—Neither sadness nor mirth was shown by Reuben Ross of Washington, D. C., when he told the story of his life yesterday in the Supreme Court, Brooklyn, Justice Aspinall presiding. Reuben couldn't have shown less emotion if he were reciting the multiplication table, and the reading aloud of a railway schedule would have been positively tragic in comparison. The piteous Mr. Ross has a suit against the beneficiaries of his wife's will, which disposed of a \$200,000 estate without mentioning him. His relics entirely upon or earlier will of his wife, in which she left all her property to him.

Here is a synopsis of Mr. Ross' life, as related by him on the witness stand:

When he was 15, in 1875, he married M. A. Elizabeth Coley, 44, a Philadelphia dressmaker. The 18-year-old husband and the 44-year-old wife drew up wills. It was his idea. He still has his copy. But his wife employed sewing girls and he ran away with one of them, Laura E. Smith, 17 years old. For that his wife had him arrested and he served six months in prison. After his release he and the Smith girl made a home of their own and had two children, of whom one is living, a girl of 17. His sewing girl sweetheart is now married. Ross said. Her husband's name was not disclosed.

Ross came to New York in 1896, worked for the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, left it, changed his name and sought employment in another office of the same company. He served a three months' term in the Kings county penitentiary for thus changing his name. He now has a woman business manager in Washington and lives in her house. He said her name is Mrs. Coeyman. Ross is proud in appearance.

The case is still on.

My Love

Not as all other women are
Is she that to my soul is dear;
Her glorious fancies come from far
Beneath the silver evening-star.
And yet her heart is ever near.

Great feelings hath she of her own,
Which lesser souls may never know,
God giveth them to her alone,
And sweet they are as any tone
Wherewith the wind may choose to blow.

Yet in herself she dwelleth not,
Although no home were half so fair;
No simplest duty is forgot;
Life hath no dim and lowly spot
That doth not in her sunshine share.

—James Russell Lowell.

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LAWYER TO AID IN PROSECUTING CAPTIVES

Brother of Prisoner Visits Him in Cell and Completes Identification

CLEVELAND, March 25.—The county grand jury has just reported an indictment against James H. Boyle and Rona Boyle, alias Faulkner, charging them with blackmail. The charge is based on the payment of \$10,000 ransom by I. P. Whitla for the recovery of his son Willie here last Monday.

The last doubt in the minds of the local police officers as to the identity of the man held for the kidnapping of Willie Whitla of Sharon, Pa., was removed today when Thomas F. Boyle of Sharon visited the prisoner. He said the prisoner is his brother James.

Thomas Boyle arrived here early today and was allowed to see his brother. Arrangements were made to obtain an attorney for the prisoner and take up his defense. The prisoner's brother also saw Mrs. Boyle, but would say nothing regarding her other than that she is the wife of James Boyle. He said he knew nothing of her and that she is unknown in Sharon. The police are making efforts to learn of the woman's past history.

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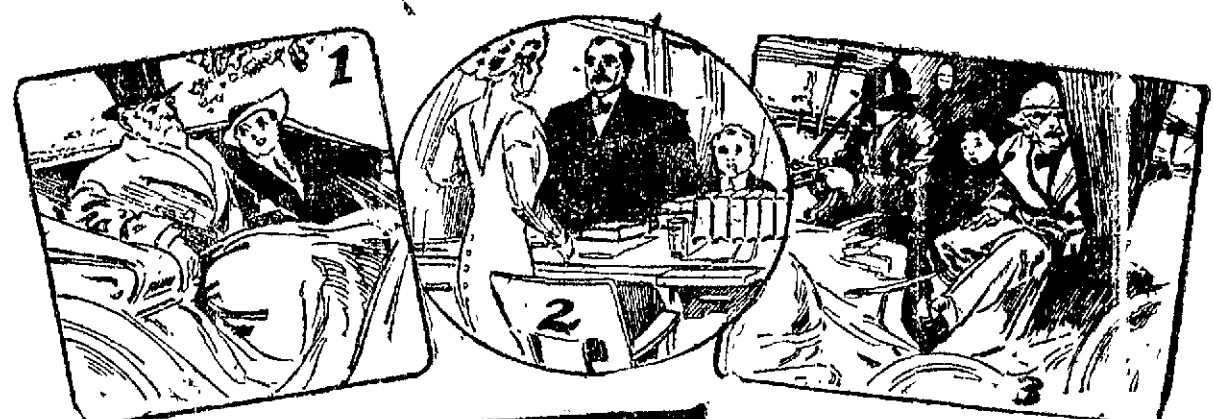
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GOULD'S YACHT IS MOST PALATIAL

Financier Ransacks Ancient Palaces and Adds to Gorgeousness of Craft

NEW YORK, March 25.—If one of those old-time galleons, rather or not, would have stepped out of an Arabian Nights tale and landed Geo. J. Gould's Atlanta as she sailed from Hoboken the other day with her new fittings and trappings his biographical would have turned out a checkered tale. At the glimpse of such luxury as the ancient fleet never dreamed of.

For the second time within two years this gorgeous yacht has been refitted—this time at an expense of \$1,000,000. The Atlanta, a 140-foot drawing room in the Louvre, but compared with the newly-appointed drawing room of this palatial yacht sailing in the Louvre frame up like cherry street attics.

Costly Draperies
Not satisfied with rose colored marble as the principal feature of decoration in the drawing-room and music-room, Mr. Gould had the walls hung with ancient tapestries that cost about \$1 a stitch. Then there was a lot of little draperies, here and there, that would cause a Russian grand duke who had been administering the czar's finances to gasp and gasp again.

There are chairs with velvet legs and backs that are worth their weight in 16-1 silver, and there are divans strewn with Persian saddle bags that would ransack a whole lot of kid-skin covered chairs. The electric lights are lit with precious metals and there are Oriental lamps studded with minerals of great price.

When Augustus Barber built this splendid turbine yacht six years ago and spent about \$1,000,000 in the building, he called it the Lorena, and the name Lorena was anonymous of the most palatial thing in pleasure craft that the world had ever seen. Also she was the fastest yacht afloat. Her interior fittings were pronounced by kings and dukes as exquisitely elegant.

But when George J. Gould bought the Lorena from Mr. Barber and renamed her the Atlanta, Mrs. Gould sighed and said that the interior was neither too simple and really not in keeping with the grace and magnificence of the yacht itself.

Gorgeous Living Apartments
It was necessary to spend \$200,000 on the engines and half a million on the hull, at least a million or so should be spent on the living apartments.

After yachting about the globe and getting opinions from famous decorators of many countries, the Goulds set to work to redo the Atlanta. The result was a thing in the winter of 1908. The galleries and palaces of the Continent were ransacked for costly paintings and statuary. Then the rose-colored marble was dug out of some broken-down king's palace and put into the drawing room. The bedrooms were decorated in the Georgian and Louis XVI style. When Mr. Gould got the bill for this it ate up a peck or so of coupons.

Mrs. Gould was quite satisfied with the new fittings. For the first time there was something lacking. Somewhere in Europe, Asia, or Africa, she saw something that had it a little on the whole of the Atlanta's eating rooms, baths, bedrooms, etc.

All Done Over Again
So a few months ago the Atlanta, hove to and an army of workmen went through her hull with the thoroughness of a Black Hand gang revamping an Avenue A tenement. The drawing room was enlarged, the dining room was shunted down another alley, and various other apartments revised. When all was completed the bill was \$1,000,000 and Mrs. Gould was greatly pleased.

The renovated Atlanta sailed from Hoboken with only Captain Todd and crew on board. No stop will be made until they arrive at Jacksonville, Fla. The Atlanta will sail for London, where the Goulds have taken a house for the season, built at Leith, 300 feet over all, 253 feet on the water line, 38 feet 3 inches beam and can spin out twenty knots. She has a continuous pressurized air system to within twenty feet of the stern.

BLUFFED INTO GIVING UP THEATER TICKETS

ALAMEDA, March 25.—A. J. Zing's is being made out of a man who pretenses used the name of William Zing's of this city and succeeded in swindling William Bercevel of Oakland out of two theater tickets. The man stated that he came from Alameda and used Zing's name. He secured the tickets and enjoyed a pleasant Sunday evening at the theater at the expense of Zing's.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

BIRTHS.
CEBALERO—In Oakland, March 19, 1909, to the wife of Abel Cebalero, a son.

COOPER—In Oakland, March 22, 1909, to the wife of Albert Cooper, a son.

WOMENITA—In Oakland, March 21, 1909, to the wife of Kamata Womenita, a daughter.

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MARRIAGE LICENSES.
The following marriage licenses have been issued:

WILKINSON—George Russell Riley, 21, and Alice Elizabeth Zwick, 20, both of Vancouver, B. C.

PETERSON—Hobert S. Peterson, 21, and Alice Elizabeth Zwick, 20, both of Vancouver, B. C.

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Tomorrow

Never Comes

- ¶ If you wait 'till tomorrow to start a home, old age will find you still waiting.
- ¶ Real happiness is found only in your own home, at your own fireside with your loved ones by your side.
- ¶ Don't worry about the money to procure such a home; your good intentions are sufficient guarantee for us to truthfully say that

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Decoto News Items.

DIXON, March 25.—Marcel Tollway of Claremont, a former Southern Pacific employee who is now recently making busy calls on his friends.

Miss Harriet Joyce enjoyed a two days' visit with her sister, Miss Aurelie, in San Francisco.

Miss Wynne Hubbard spent part of her midwinter vacation with Miss Daisy Bowen in Oakland.

One Ladies' Guild passed a pleasant afternoon with their sewing at the home of Mrs. W. Summers last Wednesday.

Dr. E. Brown of Chicago was the Sunday guest of the Pelletieri family.

A large delegation of young people from the city of Decoto were present at the

San Lorenzo News Notes

SAN LORENZO, March 25.—Wanda was the guest of Mrs. Pauline C. Webb.

Chad's party was called to order by his father in San Francisco and he dined with him

passed away Monday morning.

Paul Kelly, who has been for some time injured, has recovered and resumed his position in San Francisco.

John Hunter and Chris Clegg employed at the powder works.

John Spruiell, who has been course at the business college.

His other family was with him.

His course late.

His family, accompanied by Miss Schuster, accompanied Mrs. Spruiell, were in Oakland.

Warm Springs Notes

WARM SPRINGS, March 25.—Charles and his family spent Sunday in Fruitvale with his parents.

John Peter is very sick at his home.

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C. Smithers, the local Southern Pacific agent, spent Sunday with friends.

Miss E. Carroll of San Francisco has purchased the Harrison place.

Miss Carroll is a recent visitor to San Jose on business.

The draw bridge of the Southern Pacific Company for Warm Springs has sunk about five inches, so that it cannot be opened to permit the Southern Pacific train to reach Warm Springs in time.

while to those on skates, the
enjoyable evening at the skating rink
Mrs. George Williams was called to San
Francisco on Sunday to the bedside of
her mother, Mrs. George Williams, who
was suffering from a severe cold.

Miss Ebner Ingalls was the guest of Miss Grace Hawley at Alvarado from Friday night until Monday morning.

Chris Eaurike is enjoying a much-needed vacation from his school work.

John Nolin has returned from his trip to Seattle.

In how a San Jose was in San Lorenzo on Saturday.

ALAMEDA, March 25.—The ballots being prepared by five clerks in the city hall are almost ready for distribution and will be sent to the voters in the city about Friday, April 2.

and George Winton, a former principal, is substituting.

Two dear little boys have found a warm welcome in the hearts of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Olson. The little lads arrived in the Alameda Sanitorium on Saturday

afternoon Mrs. Olsen and her little family are doing very well.

D. Halliday has a force of men at work constructing the depot at the Western Pacific.

A small fire on the rear porch of Albert Smith's home, on Commercial street, was extinguished by the fire department.

Chorus, "The Strangers," Et cetera.

Receiv.

W. H. Cockrell of Newark was in town Monday calling on his daughter, Miss

Mrs. J. Petersen was a delegate from the Congregational Church to the convention in Oakland on Friday.

Miss Davis of San Francisco had an enjoyable visit on Tuesday with her friend,

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| MRS. NOBLE. | The remains of the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. George Florence of Oaklawn, Arrington, Mo., in grain elevator, Tuesday and were met by the friend and relatives of the family, who followed the funeral procession to Centerville, where the interment was made. | Mrs. Sweet and Winnifred St. Onstadt; Runkle, Hubs, Gertrude May, 35th | rest to the feet and make a new or tight shoes. Cures aching, swollen, hot, swelling feet. Heres corns and bunions of all parts. It cures what it cures. Don't accept a substitute. For FREE trial package, also Sample of the FOOT EASE Sanitary CORN- |
| | | plano, "Picking David's," Louis vocal solo, "Happy Song," Joe to Godson, piano, "March of 11 Cradle, Marjorie May; chorus, "Swing Swing," Gertrude May, 35th | |

**WANT MORE MONEY
FOR NEW FLAGPOLE**

—The Stolz Electrophone

is different from every other hearing apparatus.

The flagpole committee will endeavor to secure the co-operation of the various improvement clubs as well as the conference committee, and will also bring the matter before the Chamber of Com-

**ALAMEDA LEAGUE TO
HOLD MEETING TONIGHT**

ALAMEDA, March 25. — A meeting of the Alameda Baseball League is to be held at the quarters of the San Francisco Transportation Club at San Francisco tonight. Captain Matt Ryan and

A permanent schedule is to be arranged for the coming season and a banquet.

W. D. Fennimore C. L. Hogg
J. W. Davis

COATES ORIGINAL

PLYMOUTH
RAY GIN
